

EXTRAORDINARY SESSION
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The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Beil, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Tuesday, July 21, was corrected as follows:

On page 12, column 2, strike lines 46 to 48, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for re-payment to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of monies appropriated to establish, construct and maintain industrial plants at the several State institutions, under the provisions of Chapter 10271, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925.

Being the title to Senate Bill No. 119-XX.

And as corrected was approved.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Senator Turner, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber
Tallahassee, Florida, July 22, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,

President of the Senate,

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

(House Bill No. 222-XX):

An Act amending Sections 1 and 18 of Chapter 11870 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1927, entitled: "An Act abolishing Caloosahatchee Improvement District and repealing Chapter 10437, Acts of 1925, Laws of Florida, entitled, 'An Act to establish Caloosahatchee Improvement District in this State and define its boundaries; to create a Board of Commissioners for said District and to define its powers; authorizing the improvement of the Caloosahatchee river and other natural waterways, the construction of canals, dikes, drains, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement and benefit of the lands and other property embraced in said district and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands and other property embraced in said district and to provide for the collection of the same, and to enforce the collection of such assessments; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of the same to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act and to provide a penalty for violating such provisions.' And providing for winding up of the affairs of the Caloosahatchee Improvement District; providing a means for retiring and discharging the existing obligations of Caloosahatchee Improvement District and creating a Board of Trustees of Caloosahatchee Improvement District to wind up the affairs thereof."

Also—

(House Bill No. 229-XX):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than Seven Thousand Two Hundred and not more than Seven Thousand Three Hundred, according to the United States census of 1930, to accept compromise settlements of outstanding tax sale certificate held by the State in such counties, in so far as the county tax is concerned upon pay-

ment in full of the principal amount due the State together with the amount agreed upon to be paid the county, and to accept compromise settlement of omitted taxes due the county upon payment in full of the amount of principal due the State; such compromise settlement to be subject to the approval of the State Comptroller.

Also—

(House Bill No. 107-XX):

An Act for the relief of F. B. Tippins, individually, and as sheriff of Lee County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 235-XX):

An Act to extend and enlarge the corporate limits of the city of Miami in the County of Dade, Florida; to prescribe the liability of property within the annexed territory for municipal taxation and to give the said city of Miami jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Also—

(House Bill No. 226-XX):

An Act to amend Section 1 of an Act entitled: "An Act to authorize the Broward County Port Authority to impose and levy special assessments upon lands situate within Broward County Port District and to provide a method for levying and collecting such assessments;" which said Act is Senate Bill No. 178-X as passed by the Legislature of the State of Florida at its first extraordinary session in 1931 and approved by the Governor on June 25, 1931.

Also—

(House Bill No. 101-XX):

An Act to designate the dividing line between fresh and salt water in certain streams in the State of Florida, for the purpose of fishing and to repeal certain existing laws and statutes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 112-XX):

An Act for the relief of F. B. Tippins, individually, and as sheriff of Lee County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 221-XX):

An Act relieving the tax assessors in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than Thirty-two Thousand (32,000) and not more than Forty-two Thousand (42,000), according to the last preceding State or Federal census, of all liability for the payment of commissions received for the assessment of special taxes and special tax district taxes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 175-XX):

An Act relating to the expenditure and disbursement of moneys derived from gasoline taxes placed to the credit of the several counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 14,000 nor more than 14,600, according to the last preceding State or Federal census; conferring certain powers, authorities, directions and duties upon the State Board of Administration with reference thereto; creating in such counties a gasoline tax fund and regulating the expenditures of the moneys placed therein.

Also—

(House Bill No. 232-XX):

An Act authorizing the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties in Florida having a population of more than 10,660 and less than 12,000 to reduce millage in special tax school districts.

Also—

(House Bill No. 211-XX):

An Act making it unlawful to sell or transport Bass in Volusia County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act; and repealing House Bill No. 216-X, Act of the first extraordinary session of 1931, approved June 26 1931.

Also—

(House Bill No. 218-XX):

An Act permitting drainage districts located in the respective counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6,700 and not more than 6,800, according to the last State or Federal census to adjust, compromise, and remit penalties and interest on delinquent drainage taxes for the year 1929 and/or prior years.

Also—

(House Bill No. 225-XX):

An Act to amend Section 3 of "An Act to prescribe the qualifications of electors in all municipal elections, whether general or special, in the City of Orlando, Orange County, Florida, and to provide for the registration of electors in certain cases," approved June 26, 1931.

Also—

(House Bill No. 224-XX):

An Act providing that all moneys received, under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 14832, Acts of the regular session of the Legislature of 1931, by the County Commissioners in counties of this State having a population of not less than Five Thousand Five Hundred and Fourteen (5,514), and not more than Five Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty (5,520), according to the last Federal census, shall be deposited to the credit of the bond interest and sinking funds of said counties for the purpose of retiring bonds and paying interest where the proceeds of such bond issues have been used for the construction of school buildings in said counties.

Also—

(House Bill No. 234-XX):

An Act providing and requiring that one projectionist be employed for each motion picture projection machine operated in theaters and/or places of exhibition charging admission operated in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 142,000 and not more than 154,000, according to the last State or Federal census; prescribing the duties and qualifications of such projectionist, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly enrolled and herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session, and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the House for the signatures of the Speaker and Chief Clerk thereof.

Also—

Senator Turner, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., July 22, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

(Senate Bill No. 40-XX):

An Act authorizing the diversion and use of tax moneys collected in Volusia County, State of Florida, for the year 1929 upon a levy or assessment made to pay principal and interest upon bonds to be issued under Chapter 13497, Acts of 1927, Laws of the State of Florida, creating the New Smyrna-Coronado Beach Special Road and Bridge District in Volusia County, Florida, for the purpose of paying principal and/or interest coupons upon any bonds and/or time warrants issued and Now Outstanding Under and by Virtue of Chapter 9657, Acts of 1923, Laws of the State of Florida, and/or Chapter 11280, Acts of 1925, Laws of the State of Florida, and/or Chapter 11787, Acts of 1925, Laws of the State of Florida, and/or Chapter 13513, Acts of 1927, Laws of the State of Florida; Providing the Method and Manner of Paying such Tax Moneys, and Authorizing the Treasurer of the State of Florida as County Treasurer Ex-Officio, the Comptroller as Secretary of the Board of Administration of the State of Florida, and the Board of Administration of the State of

Florida and its Officers to do and Perform all Necessary Acts for the Purpose of Paying said Moneys as Authorized; and Providing for the Repeal of all Laws in Conflict herewith.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 75-XX):

An Act Empowering and Directing the State Board of Education of the State of Florida to Grant and Transfer to the United States of America, a Right-of-way Through the Submerged, Semi-submerged and Marsh Lands, Islands and/or Uplands to be Traversed by an Inland Waterway Following the Coastal Route from Jacksonville, Florida, to Miami, Florida, to be Constructed by the United States, pursuant to Act of Congress duly approved by the President of the United States on January 21st, 1927, in accordance with the report submitted in House Document No. 586, Sixty-Ninth Congress of the United States, second session, and providing that certain submerged lands now property of the State of Florida when raised above water by deposit of excavated material shall become the property of the United States.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 76-XX):

An Act to Provide for the Cancellation and/or release of all State and/or County taxes, tax sale certificates and/or tax deeds issued to and/or held or owned by the State and/or any of the following Counties therein, to-wit: Duval, St. Johns, Flagler, Volusia, Brevard, Indian River, St. Lucie, Martin, Palm Beach, Broward and Dade for certain taxes assessed or to be assessed on certain real estate in one or more of said Counties used or to be used in connection with the construction, maintenance and/or operation by the United States of America of an Intracoastal Waterway from Jacksonville, Florida, to Miami, Florida, and to provide for the cancellation and/or release of all taxes, tax sale certificates and/or tax deeds issued to and/or held and/or owned by any municipality, taxing district or other public corporation within any of said counties for unpaid taxes assessed or to be assessed on certain real estate in such municipality, taxing district or other public corporation, used or to be used in connection with the construction, maintenance and/or operation by the United States of America of an Intracoastal Waterway from Jacksonville, Florida, to Miami, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 89-XX):

An Act to regulate fishing in Boca Ceiga Bay and all tributaries thereof south of Old Indian Pass and North of the drawbridge extending over Boca Ceiga Bay connecting the main land with Long Key and known as the Corey Memorial Causeway and Bridge, and to regulate fishing on either side of the passes or inlets into said Boca Ceiga Bay from the Gulf of Mexico, all of the waters above described being situated in the County of Pinellas, State of Florida, and to provide punishment for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 116-XX):

An Act to amend the existing Charter of the City of Venice a municipality of the County of Sarasota, Florida (being Chapter 11776, extraordinary session, Acts of 1925, and Acts amendatory thereof), by amending Section Two of Article Fourteen thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 171-XX):

An Act relating to killing, taking, or attempting to take "bear" in Counties having a population of not less than 35,000 and not more than 45,000 according to the last Federal or State Census, and providing a penalty for violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 134-XX):

An Act granting to the City of Gainesville, a Municipal Corporation of Alachua County, Florida, additional powers for the zoning of said city, to conserve and promote the interest of said city with reference to building, architecture, landscaping, location and extent of use of buildings, open spaces, streets and structures for trade, industry, residence, recreation and other purposes, and providing means for enforcing and remedies for violating the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 138-XX):

An Act providing for the handling and disposition by the

Board of Administration of all funds coming into possession of said board or under the control of said board to the credit of Counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred (12,900) and not more than Thirteen Thousand (13,000), according to the last preceding State or Federal Census.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 149-XX):

An Act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of all Counties in the State of Florida which now have or may hereafter have a population of more than Seventy Thousand and not more than One Hundred Thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding State or Federal census to borrow money not to exceed Seventy-five per cent of the estimate of the revenue to be collected for any fiscal year for such counties; to provide for the repayment of said money borrowed and the interest to be paid for same.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 147-XX):

An Act relating to special assessments made or levied by the City of Port Tampa, Florida, during the year 1924, on property for street improvements, ratifying and validating 1924 street improvement assessments, authorizing and empowering certain reductions by the City of Port Tampa on said assessments, authorizing and empowering certain extensions of the time of payments thereof, authorizing and empowering the making of refunds of over payments on such assessments and to ratify, confirm and validate such assessment and to prescribe the effect thereof and provide for the enforcement of all of said assessments.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly enrolled and herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The Bills contained in the above report were thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session, and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the House for the signatures of the Speaker and Chief Clerk thereof.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Senator Watson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, July 21st, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading—

Senate Bill No. 173-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for raising revenue sufficient to defray the expenses of the State for each of the fiscal years, 1931 and 1932, and making provisions for the enforcement of the collection of such taxes.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

J. W. WATSON,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 176-XX, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

Senator Watson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, July 22nd, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading—

Senate Bill No. 180-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any per-

son to vote in any primary or general election in any city or town who is not a qualified elector thereof, or to cause or procure another so to do, or to vote more than once in any municipal primary or general election; and providing for the penalty therefor; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

J. W. WATSON,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 180-XX, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By a two-thirds vote of the members of the Senate, permission was given to Senator Young to introduce and have considered the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 177-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting title and control in the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of all sovereignty lands of the State of Florida in tidal waters and authorizing said Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to sell and convey such lands.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Young moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 177-XX be placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

Which was not agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 177-XX was referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation.

Senator Futch moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 203-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 203-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Boards of County Commissioners in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 22,400 nor more than 23,200, according to the last preceding State or Federal census.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Harrison offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 203-XX:

In Section 1, line 6 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Twelve Hundred (\$1200.00) Dollars".

Senator Harrison moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Futch moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 203-XX, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 203-XX, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Parker moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 64-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 64-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate hunting in certain counties in the State of Florida; to provide penalties for violations of the provisions of such Act, and to repeal certain existing laws and statutes.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Parker moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 64-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 64-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—36.

Nays—Senator English—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

By a two-thirds vote of the members of the Senate, permission was given to Senator Swearingen to introduce and have considered the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 178-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Polk County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing coupon warrants in a sum not exceeding \$85,000.00, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6% per annum, for the exclusive use of the public free schools of Special Tax School District No. 1 of Polk County, Florida, and for the purpose of paying outstanding indebtedness of said district. Said warrants to be payable out of the proceeds of the taxes of said district, and making provision for a sinking fund for the payment of said warrants and the interest to become due thereon.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 178-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 178-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 178-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

And Senate Bill No. 178-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

By a two-thirds vote of the members of the Senate, permission was given to Senator Whitaker to introduce and have considered the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 179-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person to make any false statement or to cause or procure another so to do, concerning his qualifications as an elector for the purpose of registering as a voter in any municipal election in any city or town in this State, and providing for the penalty therefor, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 179-XX be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 179-XX was read a second time in full.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 179-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 179-XX was read a third time in full. Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns,

King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Wagg, Young—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

By a two-thirds vote of the members of the Senate, permission was given to Senator Whitaker to introduce and have considered the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 180-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person to vote in any primary or general election in any city or town who is not a qualified elector thereof, or to cause or procure another so to do, or to vote more than once in any municipal primary or general election; and providing for the penalty therefor; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 180-XX be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 180-XX was read a second time in full.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 180-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 180-XX was read a third time in full.

By unanimous consent Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 180-XX:

In Section 1, lines 7 and 8 (typewritten bill), strike out the words and figures: One Thousand (\$1000.00) Dollars or be imprisoned in county jail not exceeding one year and insert in lieu thereof the following: Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars or be imprisoned in county jail not to exceed six months.

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred on the passage of the bill, as amended.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Lewis, Parker, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Wagg, Young—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

CONSIDERATION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2-XX was taken up in its order and the consideration of same was informally passed.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 4-XX:

WHEREAS, the ad valorem tax system of Florida has failed, and

WHEREAS, many counties are facing an immediate complete collapse in their finances, and

WHEREAS, the political subdivisions of the State have no power to raise revenue except through authority given by the Legislature, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THE SENATE CONCURRING:

1. That a committee composed of three members of the House and two members of the Senate be appointed to work out a property tax system for the State and its political subdivisions, and

2. That this committee make a report to the next meeting of the Legislature.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Which was not agreed to.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 5-XX:

WHEREAS, the present Extraordinary Session of the Legislature will complete its purpose by Saturday, July 25, 1931.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SENATE CONCURRING:

That the present Extraordinary Session of the Florida Leg-

islature shall adjourn sine die, twelve o'clock noon, Eastern Standard time, Saturday, July 25, A. D. 1931.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Resolution.

Which was agreed to.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 5-XX was adopted.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 231-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 231-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing the City of Ellenton, in Manatee County, Florida, providing for the payment of its debts and for a board of trustees to take over its properties, public functions and services; providing that all laws and parts of laws in conflict are repealed and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 231-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 231-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 231-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 231-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Harris moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 202-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 202-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the calling of elections in the special tax school districts in all of the counties of the State having a population of not less than 55,000 and not more than 70,000; providing for the calling of said election within thirty days from the time this Act becomes a law; providing for the giving of notice of said election; providing that the question of millage to be levied for the two fiscal years from July 1st, 1931, to June 30th, 1933, be submitted to the electors, and the millage determined by such election shall control the levy for said fiscal years, and providing that elections so called shall be controlled in other respects by existing laws.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Harris moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 202-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 202-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 72-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 72-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abandon that portion of State Road No. 26 beginning at or near Lake Annie in Highlands County, Florida, and running south through Glades County via Moore Haven in Glades County, Florida, to Clewiston in Hendry County, Florida.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 72-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 72-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 87-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 87-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the transfer of funds belonging to North La Belle Drainage District to General Fund of Glades County, Florida; and empowering the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county to make transfer.

Was taken up.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 87-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 87-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 87-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 87-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 147-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 147-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the existing charter of the City of Venice, a municipality of the County of Sarasota, Florida (being Chapter 11776, Extraordinary Session, Acts of 1925, and Acts amendatory thereof), by amending Section Two of Article Fourteen thereof.

Was taken up.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 147-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 147-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived

and House Bill No. 147-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 147-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Getzen requested that Senate Bill No. 172-XX, reported unfavorably by the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, be restored to the Calendar under the rule.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Local Bills on the Calendar.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

HOUSE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

Senator Wagg moved that House Bill No. 59-XX be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bills No.'s 157-XX and 150-XX were taken up in their order and the consideration of same was informally passed.

House Bill No. 180-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries to be paid the Mayor-Commissioner and other Commissioners of the City of Orlando, State of Florida, and providing for a referendum. Was taken up.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 180-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 180-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 180-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 180-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bill No. 166-XX was taken up in its order and the consideration of same was informally passed.

Senator Irby moved that House Bill No. 134-XX be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bill No. 115-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Lake Butler, in Union County, Florida, to accept in payment for taxes of said city, bonds of said city, or interest coupons on said bonds.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 115-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 115-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 115-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 115-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bill No. 116-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Lake Butler, in Union County, Florida, to accept in payment for and in redemption of tax sale certificates of said city, owned and held by said city, matured bonds, of said city, and interest coupons from any of the bonds of said city.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 116-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 116-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 116-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 116-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bill No. 117-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Lake Butler, in Union County, Florida, to accept municipal or other bonds in exchange for money of said city on deposit in the Lake Butler Bank, and ratifying and legalizing any such exchange or exchanges heretofore made by said city.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 117-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 117-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 117-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 117-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bill No. 91-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Lake Butler, in Union County, Florida, to accept street paving assessment bonds and the interest coupons therefrom in payment of paving liens and assessments.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 91-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 91-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 91-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 91-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 126-XX out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 126-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act apportioning and appropriating moneys received from the State Treasurer by the County Commissioners of the several counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than seven thousand four hundred (7,400) and not more than seven thousand four hundred fifty (7,450) according to the Federal census of 1930, which said moneys have been received from the State Treasurer under and by virtue of Chapter 14832 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, for the purpose of erecting and equipping county high school buildings.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Johns offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 126-XX:

Add Section 1½. When effective. This Act shall become effective and the same shall be in full force and effect only upon and after the approval or ratification of same by a majority of the qualified free holder electors of said Union County, Florida, actually voting at an election held in said county for such purpose.

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 126-XX, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 126-XX, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bill No. 230-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Article XI, Section 3 of Article XI, Section 19 of Article XI, Section 13 of Article IV, of an Act passed by the Legislature in the regular session of 1927 and signed by the Governor June 1st, 1927, and entitled: "An Act to abolish the municipality creat-

ed by Chapter 11519 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida approved November 25, 1925 and designated the City of Hollywood, County of Broward, State of Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Hollywood; to provide a charter for said city; to define its territorial limits; to provide for its government; and to prescribe its jurisdiction."

Was taken up.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 230-XX be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 230-XX was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 230-XX be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 230-XX was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

House Bills No.'s 233-XX, 184-XX and 83-XX were taken up in their order and the consideration of same was informally passed.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and resume the amendment of House Bill No. 25-XX, which was pending at the hour of adjournment on Tuesday, July 21, 1931.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 25-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to raise revenue, providing for a license and other taxes, and the means and methods of collecting and enforcing the same.

Was taken up.

The following amendment by Senator Howell, the adoption of which was pending at the hour of adjournment on Tuesday, July 21, 1931, was resumed:

In Section 31 (printed bill), strike sub-section "Drovers and horse traders."

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment.

By unanimous consent Senator Howell withdrew the above amendment.

Senator Howell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31 (printed bill), sub-section Drovers and Horse Traders. Line 1, strike out \$1,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$100.00 and strike the remainder of the sub-section.

Senator Howell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 28, line 236 (printed bill), strike \$10.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$5.00.

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Andrews offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 517, page 43 (printed bill), strike \$10.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$5.00.

Senator Andrews moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Andrews offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, lines 573, 575, 577 (printed bill), strike out

the figures \$40.00, \$60.00, \$75.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$35.00, \$45.00, \$65.00.

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Andrews offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 598 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$20.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following; \$10.00.

Senator Andrews moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Parrish offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, Page 47, (printed bill), strike sub-section "FRUIT PEDDLERS".

Senator Parrish moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator English offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, (printed bill), sub-section "FLORISTS", strike out the words "Cities and Towns" wherever they appear and insert in lieu thereof the following; "Counties":

Senator English moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was not agreed to.

Senator Parrish offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, lines 636 and 637 (printed bill), sub-section "FLORISTS", strike out the words: "In Cities and Towns of 5,000 inhabitants or less \$10.00."

Senator Parrish moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, lines 633, 635 and 637 (printed bill), strike out the figures: \$40.00, \$30.00, \$15.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$25.00, \$20.00, \$10.00.

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Howell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 46, (printed bill), strike sub-section "EMIGRANT AGENTS."

Senator Howell moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 49 (printed bill), sub-section "FERRIES," strike out the figures \$100.00, \$50.00, \$30.00, \$20.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$50.00, \$25.00, \$20.00, \$10.00.

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was not agreed to.

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, (printed bill), add "provided games not operated for profit shall pay no tax."

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Young offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 51, line 2, (printed bill), strike out the figures \$100.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$250.00.

Senator Young moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Futch offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 51 (printed bill), strike sub-section "MINIATURE GOLF COURSES."

Senator Futch moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31 (printed bill), strike sub-section "HAY, FEED and Grain Dealers in Retail."

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 52 (printed bill), strike out the entire sub-section under title "HIDES AND FURS, DEALERS IN" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Each resident person, firm or corporation engaged in buying or dealing in hides or furs and having established places of business within the State shall pay a license fee for each such established place of business as follows:

In cities or towns of 50,000 or more population, \$50.00;
In cities or towns of 25,000 and less than 50,000 population, \$30.00;

In cities or towns of less than 25,000 population, \$20.00.
No resident dealer paying the above license shall be required to pay any other State or County license for the privilege of buying within the State.

Each person, firm or corporation not having an established place of business within the State, or employed by, or acting as agents for or in any degree owned or financed by non-residents of the State shall pay a license fee of \$20.00 for each county in which hides or furs are bought or dealt in provided that nothing herein shall apply to transactions of out of state dealers or buyers with licensed resident dealers.

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Bell, Senator Hinely offered the following substitute amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 52 (printed bill), strike sub-section, "HIDES AND FURS, DEALERS IN"

Senator Hinely moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the substitute amendment was adopted.

Senator Futch offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 51, line 702 (printed bill), strike out the figures "\$50.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$20.00"

Senator Futch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Chowning offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 720 (printed bill), add "in each county"

Senator Chowning moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, pages 52 and 53 (printed bill), strike sub-section "HOSPITALS"

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 53 (printed bill), under sub-head, line 3, "INDUSTRIAL IRRIGATION SYSTEMS" strike out "\$100.00" and insert in lieu thereof "\$25.00, and that there shall not be any tax charged any person operating such system of irrigation in the raising and producing of any horticultural or agricultural products."

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 57 (printed bill), sub-section "LUNCH STANDS," etc., strike out figures \$100.00, \$50.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$50.00, \$25.00"

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Clarke offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 59 (printed bill), under sub-section "LUMBER DEALERS" strike out figures \$30.00 and insert in lieu thereof: "\$15.00" and at end of sub-section add following: "Provided however that the license tax herein mentioned shall not apply to lumber dealers conducting said business in connection with saw or planing mill and paying license therefor."

Senator Clarke moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31 (printed bill), strike sub-section "MANICURISTS."

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Howell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 61 (printed bill), strike out beginning with word "plant" in line 9, to and including the word "plant" in line 11.

Senator Howell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 3, page 61 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$100.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$50.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen, Senator Stewart offered the following substitute amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 3, page 61, strike out the figures \$100.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$40.00.

Senator Stewart moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the substitute amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 16, page 61 (printed bill), strike out the figures: \$20.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$50.00.

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 11, page 61 (printed bill), strike all after the word "manufacturers" in said sub-section.

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Clarke offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 19, page 61 (printed bill), strike out \$50.00 in addition thereto \$3.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$2.00.

Senator Clarke moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 9, page 62 (printed bill), strike out the word "the" preceding the word "Christian" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "any".

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the further consideration of House Bill No. 25-XX be informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

The hour of recess having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate stood recessed at 1:00 o'clock P. M., until 3:00 o'clock P. M., this day.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate convened at 3:00 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—37.

A quorum present.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Senator Turner, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., July 22, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,

President of the Senate,

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

(House Bill No. 222-XX):

An Act amending Sections 17 and 18 of Chapter 11870 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1927, entitled: "An Act abolishing Caloosahatchee Improvement District and repealing Chapter 10437, Acts of 1925, Laws of Florida, entitled, 'An Act to establish Caloosahatchee Improvement District in this State and define its boundaries; to create a Board of Commissioners for said District and to define its powers; authorizing the improvement of the Caloosahatchee river and other natural waterways, the construction of canals, dikes, drains, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement and benefit of the lands and other property embraced in said district and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands and other property embraced in said district and to provide for the collection of the same, and to enforce the collection of such assessments; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of the same to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act and to provide a penalty for violating such provision.' And providing for winding up of the affairs of the Caloosahatchee Improvement District; providing a means for retiring and discharging the existing obligations of Caloosahatchee Improvement District and Creating a Board of Trustees of Caloosahatchee Improvement District to wind up the affairs thereof."

Also—

(House Bill No. 229-XX):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than Seven Thousand Two Hundred and not more than Seven Thousand Three Hundred according to the United States census of 1930, to accept compromise settlement of outstanding tax sale certificates held by the State in such counties, in so far as the county tax is concerned upon payment in full of the principal amount due the State, together with the amount agreed upon to be paid the county, and to accept compromise settlement of omitted taxes due the county upon payment in full of the amount of principal due the State; such compromise settlement to be subject to approval of the State Comptroller.

Also—

(House Bill No. 107-XX):

An Act for the relief of F. B. Tippins, individually and as Sheriff of Lee County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 235-XX):

An Act to extend and enlarge the corporate limits of the City of Miami, in the County of Dade, Florida; to prescribe the liability of property within the annexed territory for municipal taxation and to give the said City of Miami jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Also—

(House Bill No. 226-XX):

An Act to amend Section 1 of an Act entitled, "An Act to authorize the Broward County Port Authority to impose and

levy special assessments upon lands situate within Broward County Port District and to provide a method for levying and collecting such assessments;" which said Act is Senate Bill No. 178-X as passed by the Legislature of the State of Florida at its first extraordinary session in 1931 and approved by the Governor June 25, 1931.

Also—

(House Bill No. 101-XX):

An Act to designate the dividing line between fresh and salt water in certain streams in the State of Florida, for the purpose of fishing and to repeal certain existing laws and statutes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 112-XX):

An Act for the relief of F. B. Tippins, individually and as Sheriff of Lee County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 221-XX):

An Act relieving the tax assessors in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than Thirty-two Thousand (32,000) and not more than Forty-two Thousand (42,000), according to the last preceding State or Federal census, of all liability for the payment of commissions received for the assessment of special taxes and special tax district taxes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 175-XX):

An Act relating to the expenditure and disbursement of moneys derived from gasoline taxes placed to the credit of the several counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 14,000 nor more than 14,600 according to the last preceding State or Federal census; conferring certain powers, authorities, directions and duties upon the State Board of Administration with reference thereto; creating in such counties a gasoline tax fund and regulating the expenditures of the moneys placed therein.

Also—

(House Bill No. 232-XX):

An Act authorizing the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties in Florida, having a population of more than 10,660 and less than 12,000 to reduce millage in special tax school districts.

Also—

(House Bill No. 211-XX):

An Act making it unlawful to sell or transport Bass in Volusia County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act; and repealing House Bill No. 216-X, Acts of the first extraordinary session of 1931, approved June 26, 1931.

Also—

(House Bill No. 218-XX):

An Act permitting drainage districts located in the respective counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6,700 and not more than 6,800, according to the last State or Federal census to adjust, compromise, and remit penalties and interest on delinquent drainage taxes for the year 1929 and/or prior years.

Also—

(House Bill No. 225-XX):

An Act to amend Section Three of "An Act to prescribe the qualifications of electors in all municipal elections, whether general or special, in the City of Orlando, Orange County, Florida, and to provide for the registration of electors in certain cases," approved June 26, 1931.

Also—

(House Bill No. 224-XX):

An Act providing that all moneys received, under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 14832, Acts of the regular session of the Legislature of 1931, by the County Commissioners in counties of this State having a population of not less than Five Thousand Five Hundred and Fourteen (5,514) and not more than Five Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty (5,520), according to the last Federal census, shall be deposited to the credit of the bond interest and sinking funds of said counties for the purpose of retiring bonds and paying interest where the proceeds of such bond issues have been used for the construction of school buildings in said counties.

Also—

(House Bill No. 234-XX):

An Act providing and requiring that one projectionist be

employed for each motion picture projection machine operated in theatres and/or places of exhibition charging admission operated in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 142,000 and not more than 154,000, according to the last State or Federal census; prescribing the duties and qualifications of such projectionist, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate.

By permission the following communication from the Governor was received and ordered to be spread upon the Journal:

July 22, 1931.

Honorable Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate,
Tallahassee, Florida.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that on July 20th, A. D. 1931, I approved the following Act which originated in your Honorable Body, second Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, and have today filed same in the office of the Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 102-XX):

Relating to Fort Myers.

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Governor.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

House Bill No. 25-XX:

A bill to be entitled An Act to raise revenue, providing for a license and other taxes, and the means and methods of collecting and enforcing the same.

Was taken up.

Senator English offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 15, page 61 (printed bill), after "10,000 inhabitants" insert "or less."

Senator English moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Butler offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 10, page 63 (printed bill), strike out all of lines ten to twenty-one (both inclusive) on said page, and all of lines one to eight (both inclusive) on page sixty-four (being paragraph dealing with NEWSPAPERS) and insert in lieu thereof the following:

NEWSPAPERS. Daily newspapers having a circulation of 20,000 or more subscribers shall pay an annual license tax of \$100.00; daily newspapers having a circulation of less than 20,000 and 10,000 or more subscribers shall pay an annual license tax of \$50.00; daily newspapers having a circulation of less than 10,000 subscribers shall pay an annual license tax of \$20.00. Papers published six days in each week shall, for the purpose of the imposition of this tax, be considered a daily newspaper.

Weekly newspapers having a circulation of more than 20,000 or more subscribers shall pay an annual license tax of \$20.00; weekly newspapers having a circulation of less than 20,000 and more than 10,000 subscribers shall pay an annual license tax of \$10.00; weekly newspapers having a circulation of 10,000 or less subscribers shall pay an annual license tax of \$5.00. All newspapers not coming within the definition of daily newspapers as above specified shall pay the license provided for weekly newspapers.

Senator Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Butler Senator Bell offered the following substitute amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, pages 63 and 64 (printed bill), strike out all sub-section entitled "NEWSPAPERS."

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment by Senator Butler.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, Page 65 (printed bill), strike sub-section "TRAINED NURSES"

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Parrish offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 16, page 65 (printed bill), after "Corporation", strike out the remainder of the sub-section.

Senator Parrish moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Caro offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 14, page 64 (printed bill), strike out the figures "\$250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$25.00"

Senator Caro moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 14 (printed bill), strike out the figures "\$250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$50.00"

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 16, page 64 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$20.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$10.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 10, page 66 (printed bill), after the word "Districts" insert the following: "and own their own products outright."

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 16, page 64 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$100.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$25.00.

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Futch offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 66 (printed bill), strike lines 13 to 15 inclusive.

Senator Futch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, lines 8 and 9, page 67 (printed bill), strike out the words "raised by the seller".

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Dell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 5, page 67 (printed bill), strike out the words: "health officer" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "physician".

Senator Dell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, (printed bill), in sub-section "PIANO AND ORGAN DEALERS", strike figures "\$200.00" wherever they appear and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$25.00".

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 17, page 68 (printed bill), strike out the words: "selling their own produce".

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gomez offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 69 (printed bill), under head "PROFESSIONS" strike out \$50.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$150.00.

Senator Gomez moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, after line 11, page 69 (printed bill), strike out "Law", add an additional sub-section: "LAWYERS. Each lawyer shall pay a license tax of \$250.00."

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Futch offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 64 (printed bill), at end of section, add: "provided that nothing herein shall be construed that any school teacher, preacher or banker to pay any license tax."

Senator Futch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Watson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 9 (printed bill), sub-paragraph "PAINTERS, PAPER HANGERS" strike out entire paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Contracting Painters and Paper Hangers not doing their own work shall pay a license tax as follows:

Where 5 or less employees are employed, \$10.00.

Where more than 5 and less than 15 employees are employed, \$25.00.

Where 15 or more employees are employed, \$50.00.

Senator Swearingen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Howell moved that the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which the following amendment by Senator Bell was adopted: In Section 31, after line 11, page 69 (printed bill), strike out Law, add an additional sub-section "Lawyers". Each lawyer shall pay a license tax of \$250.00.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the motion by Senator Howell the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, King, Lewis, Parker, Parrish, Taylor, Wagg, Young—27.

Nays—Senators English, Futch, Hilburn, Johns, Knabb, Swearingen—6.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which the amendment by Senator Bell was adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the above amendment by Senator Bell.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 13, page 70 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$50.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$25.00.

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 68 (printed bill), at end of Sub-Section

"PORTABLE STORES", add "provided, however, the provisions of this Act shall not apply to sales made to retail deliveries or merchants".

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 71 (printed bill), sub-section "PHOSPHATE", etc., strike out the figures \$30.00, \$45.00, \$75.00, \$80.00, \$150.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$15.00, \$22.50, \$37.50, \$40.00, \$75.00.

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to. And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Watson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 72 (printed bill), sub-paragraph "PLUMBERS" strike out the entire paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Contracting plumbers not doing their own work shall pay a license tax as follows:

"Where 5 or less employees are employed, \$10.00".

"Where more than 5 and less than 15 employees are employed, \$25.00".

"Where 15 or more employees are employed, \$50.00".

Senator Knabb moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senators Parker and Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 73 (printed bill), under sub-head "ROCK CRUSHING PLANTS" strike out the figures \$250.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$50.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Howell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 74 (printed bill), sub-section "RETRORT PLANTS" strike out figures "\$50.00, \$30.00, \$20.00, \$10.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$25.00, \$15.00, \$10.00, \$5.00"

Senator Howell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Lewis offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 72 (printed bill), under line 2, insert the following: "PEANUT PICKERS. Non-residents operating peanut pickers shall pay a license tax of \$100.00."

Senator Lewis moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 20, page 74 (printed bill) strike out the figures "\$25.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$10.00"

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 2, page 75 (printed bill), strike out the figures "\$100.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$50.00"

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 8, page 75 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$25.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$10.00. Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 12, page 75 (printed bill), after figures "\$5.00" add "\$1.00 for each additional operator."

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Andrews offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 13, page 75 (printed bill), strike out the figures: \$50.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$25.00. Senator Andrews moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 76 (printed bill), sub-section "SAW MILLS" strike out the figures: \$10.00, \$25.00, \$75.00, \$150.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$5.00, \$12.50, \$37.50, \$75.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen, Senator Andrews offered the following substitute amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 76 (printed bill), sub-head "SAW MILLS" strike \$10.00, \$25.00, \$75.00, \$150.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$5.00, \$10.00, \$25.00, \$35.00.

Senator Andrews moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 8, page 77 (printed bill), strike out figures \$25.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$15.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Howell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 10, page 77 (printed bill), strike out the figures, \$10.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$5.00.

Senator Howell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, lines 18 and 19, page 77 (printed bill), strike out the figures \$75.00, \$150.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$50.00, \$100.00.

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, (printed bill), strike sub-section "SLOT MACHINES".

Senator Bell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 7, page 79 (printed bill), strike out and \$5.00 for each additional hand employed.

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Butler offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, pages 79 and 80 (printed bill), strike out reference to Toll Bridges and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"TOLL BRIDGES. Owners or managers of toll bridges shall pay a license tax of \$250.00 where the bridge is entirely within the limits or boundary of any one County and where the bridge joins two Counties, a license of \$250.00 for each such County shall be paid. Provided, that nothing in this Act shall apply to toll bridges owned by any County or municipality in this State".

Senator Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Butler, Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to the amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

Immediately preceding the words "for each such county shall be paid," strike the figures "\$250.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$1,000.00".

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment to the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment by Senator Butler, as amended.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment, as amended, was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, page 80 (printed bill), strike out lines 10 and 11.

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31 (printed bill), strike out the words and figures "Undertakers and morticians not embalmers" "\$100.00, \$70.00, \$30.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Undertakers and morticians" "\$50.00, \$25.00, \$5.00"

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31 (printed bill), strike sub-section "UNDERTAKERS OR MORTICIANS WHO ARE EMBALMERS"

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, lines 19, 21, pages 81 and 2, on page 82 (printed bill), strike out the figures: \$200.00, \$150.00, \$50.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$100.00, \$75.00, \$10.00.

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31, line 18, page 82 (printed bill), strike out the

figures: \$20.00, and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$10.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 31 (printed bill), strike out the sub-section "WOOD YARDS".

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 25-XX:

In Section 32, line 6, page 84 (printed bill), strike out the figures, \$500.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$50.00.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen, Senator Bell moved that the rules be waived and House Concurrent Resolution No. 4-XX be recalled from the House of Representatives for further consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And it was so ordered.

Senator Young moved that the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which House Concurrent Resolution No. 4-XX failed of adoption by the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which House Concurrent Resolution No. 4-XX failed of adoption by the Senate.

The question was put on the adoption of House Concurrent Resolution No. 4-XX.

Which was agreed to.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 4-XX was adopted.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen, Senator Parker moved that the rules be waived and the hour of adjournment be extended until such time as the consideration of House Bill No. 25-XX be completed.

Which was not agreed to.

Pending the adoption of the amendment by Senator Getzen, Senator Neel moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 4:48 o'clock P. M., until 11:00 o'clock A. M., Thursday, July 23, 1931.